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One effect of the Democratic "change" is to put a great deal less change in the workman's pocket.

If the Presidential election were to come off next November, the Democrats might possibly carry Texas; but that would be about all. The people want a "change."

The charitable societies of Denver are daily feeling the need of more destitute workmen who have been thrown out of employment by the Democratic good times. Our neighbor of The Bulletin ought to make a note of this.

It might be interesting if not instructive if the Editor of The Bulletin would just now reprint some of the beautiful promises he made of the "good times" that were to follow the election of Mr. CLEVELAND. Let's have 'em.

The way the House of the Fifty-first Congress stood on free coinage is shown by the record of the vote on the Bland proposition to open the mints without limit to silver, as follows:

For Free Silver Coinage.
Democrats.....101
Republicans.....14
Agreed Free Silver Coinage.
Republicans.....127
Democrats.....13

The figures sustain JOHN SHERMAN in the statement he makes.

And every man who voted knew enough to know that free coinage meant the silver standard. The great majority of Democrats in and out of Congress have been for free coinage straight along—all the time—and the great majority of Republicans have been against the silver standard, which is what free coinage means.

NOTICE!

In accordance with the instructions of the Department of Public Instruction, all persons desiring to be licensed as teachers in the County Superintendent of Schools are hereby notified that the examination will take place at the Courthouse on Friday, July 27, at 10 o'clock A. M. THOMAS H. PRISTON, County Judge.

J. FRANKLIN, County Clerk.

WASHINGTON

Ready for the Return of, President Cleveland.

His Message to the Extra Session of Congress Nearing Completion.

How the Pension Fund Will Be Distributed During the Fiscal Year Just Begun—A Deficiency Appropriation May Be Required—Revenue Collections.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—From the best information obtainable at this end of the line it is believed that the president and Secretary Lamont will return to Washington on Wednesday or Thursday of next week. The renovation of the white house, which has been in progress for several days, will be completed by Saturday, and will be in complete readiness for the president's visit by the end of this week. The president is now engaged in the preparation of his message to the extra session of congress, and will probably finish it before his departure from Buzzard's bay, so that it may be finally considered at the meeting of the cabinet to be held at the white house Friday, August 4, just previous to the assembling of congress on the following Monday. It is understood that the president will endeavor to keep his movements secret with a view to his return to Washington before the public is fully aware of his departure.

The collections made by the collector of internal revenue for the first Ohio district during the fiscal year ending June 30 amounted to \$10,499,662.31. Collector Rogers, of Chatham, collected \$1,383,881.87. In the Tenth Ohio district there was collected \$729,515.06, and in the Cleveland district the amount collected was \$1,017,277.41. The bounty producers of maple sugar in Ohio were paid \$3,501.63 in bounty.

The pension bureau has prepared an estimate of the division of the appropriation provided by congress at the last session for the support of the pension service during the fiscal year just begun and ending June 30, 1894. The amount of the appropriation was \$104,150,563. Whether this will cover the expenses of the pension service remains to be seen. It is thought likely, however, that a deficiency appropriation may be required.

The appropriation of \$194,150,563 has been divided into the following payments: For army pensions, \$101,000,000; for navy pensions, \$3,400,000; for civil war pensions, \$1,000,000; for salaries of pension agents, \$70,000; for clerk hire, pension agencies, \$400,000; rent, pension agencies, \$12,500; and lights, pension agencies, \$1,000; contingent expenses, pension agencies, \$35,000.

The appropriation does not include the cost of maintaining the pension bureau in this city and paying the expenses of running that bureau. That is provided by the legislative appropriation.

TENNESSEE MIDLAND ROAD

Reopened by All the Railroads in the Western Passenger Association.

CHICAGO, July 27.—Another boycott has been declared. This time it is the Tennessee Midland and the other roads which all the roads in the western passenger association. The road was not notified by telegram on Wednesday, but on and after July 30, all the association roads will discontinue business relations with it to the extent of refusing to honor its tickets or selling any tickets at cut rates over the western roads and tickets that have not got the proper regulations and limitations upon them.

Lake Season's Wages.

CHICAGO, July 27.—President Walter Groves, of the Lake season's wages, Wednesday ordered the \$500 men in the Chicago branch to do no work for less than 82 a day. This was done in anticipation of an attempt made by the vessel owners to get union sailors for \$50 a day. Only sailing vessels are affected. The officers of the union realize that small shipments have reduced the freight rates and say they are willing to help the owners by accepting a reasonable reduction of 40 cents in wages. They are made as the lumber shovers and if the towing companies reduce their rates.

Intelligence From Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Advice from Honolulu state that the new annexation treaty to be sent to Washington for the approval of the United States government contains a clause prohibiting the further immigration of Chinese into the islands. Claus Spreckels, the sugar king who returned from Honolulu Wednesday, says that in his opinion Chinese immigration will be restored to her throne. He thinks that Minister Blount's actions in Honolulu put this conclusion.

Wednesday's Games

Philadelphia.....48
Boston.....44
Pittsburgh.....44
Cleveland.....38
Brooklyn.....37
Cincinnati.....36
St. Louis.....35
New York.....34
Baltimore.....33
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Louisville.....31

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Revolutions Captured Managua.

PASADENA, Colombia, via Galveston, July 27.—A private telegram from Nicaragua announces that the Leon revolutionaries have captured the city of Managua. Details of how the city was taken or what became of President Zavala and the members of his cabinet have not been obtained.

SENATOR STEWART.

Thinks Democrats and Many Republicans Have Gone Crazy.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The World prints an interview with Senator Stewart of Nevada, in which he is credited with saying:

"I have no doubt the Sherman silver law will be repealed. The country is going to hades. I had hoped to help in warding off the catastrophe, but the Democrats and many Republicans, too, seem to have gone crazy. I can not answer for the consequences, and I am glad I shall not have to share the responsibility."

"I am afraid Mr. Cleveland made a mistake when he attributed the present trouble to unwise legislation. He may have referred to the mint act of 1873. If so he was correct. But if he referred to the Sherman act he was mistaken. Its repeal might give temporary relief by deceiving the people and making them believe that the evil had been removed. But the evil is deeper. It is a deficiency of gold. There was too much of both gold and silver to furnish adequate basis of circulation and credit."

"The destruction of silver by the repeal of the Sherman act will destroy more than half of the basis of circulation and credit, and leave the United States without sufficient gold to sustain confidence. And the probabilities are that the trouble will go on. I hope wise counsels will prevail, and that the business community will look the situation in the face and devise some scheme whereby the circulation and credit of the country will be kept on a firm foundation. I have no doubt that the Sherman law will be repealed. But if it is repealed without a substitute of some kind, it seems inevitable that times will grow worse, and continue to grow worse for a long time to come."

THE SKY BRIGHTER.

Excitement on the Wave in Indianapolis. Though There's a Sun on the Sea, the Sky is Still Dark.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 27.—Wm. Dawson, cashier of the suspended Bank of Commerce, returned from New Albany Wednesday, where a meeting of the bank directors, including the Deposits, was held.

Arrangements were made to pay off all claims against the bank within sixty days, and probably to reorganize the business. Bank Examiner Young has arrived, and has taken possession of the Indianapolis national. He hopes the bank will pay out in full.

An expected run on the other banks did not develop Wednesday. Business men have massed together to prevent excitement, and restore confidence.

A run on the Dime Savings and Loan association has set in, but it can do no permanent harm, as the concern is solvent and may take a day or two to pay out. Its cash assets have about been exhausted. It does a savings and loan business, and is established by the late Oscar C. McCulloch.

Remored Battle Between Soldiers and Cow Boys.

GUTHRIE, O., July 27.—Reports of the soldiers killed between soldiers and a number of cow boys on the Salt fork in the Cherokee strip have just reached here. The soldiers had orders to drive the cattle off the strip, and encountered the cow boys near the fork. They offered resistance, and in the battle which ensued one cow boy and a number of cattle were killed.

Must Pay Cash.

FRANKFORT, Ky., July 27.—Owing to the financial stringency and the recent embarrassment of some of the banks of the state, State Treasurer Hale Wednesday morning demands cash as payment for taxes, etc. No more checks will be accepted, at least for the present, and sheriffs and others having money to pay to the state will have to deposit it in any cash or not at all.

San Jose, Guatemala, July 27.—Direct communication over the Central and Southern American telegraph wires is opened between Guatemala and the United States. The line was officially opened July 19, but the opening for business was postponed until Tuesday. The government paid the cable company \$150,000 in gold on the day of the official opening.

More Gold Coming.

NEW YORK, July 27.—A hundred thousand dollars in gold bars were purchased in London for shipment to America. The steamship Hawel, which was due Wednesday, has on board 300 gold consigned to Heidelberg, Telephoner & Co. The steamship Yucatan, from Havana, brought \$500,000 in Spanish gold to the Western National bank.

Chicago Silver Convention.

CHICAGO, July 27.—The national silver convention here August 1, it was announced Wednesday, will assemble in the old Methodist church in the Methodist block, corner of Clark and Washington streets. There will be a mass meeting Tuesday night in Central music hall and an open air mass meeting Wednesday night in Lake Front park.

Greatly Improved at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, July 27.—All of the banks opened promptly at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning and proceeded with their business as if nothing had happened to disturb the financial affairs of the community. Except for the crowds there was no indication that business was not as serene and quiet as it ever was.

First Time Laid.

PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—The extensive woolen mills of Schachtel Bros., which have been giving employment to 350 hands, have shut down indefinitely, owing to the depression in trade. The firm has been in business for over a quarter of a century, and this is the first time that its operations have been entirely suspended in the mills.

Bank Cashier Shoots Himself.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Controller of the First National bank of New York received a dispatch Tuesday morning stating that Cashier Louis J. Felt of the First National bank of Vernon, Tex., had failed on Saturday, and was shot by himself Tuesday morning.

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CHICAGO, July 27.

FLOUR AND GRAIN—Cash quotations. Flour steady and unchanged. No. 3 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 2 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 1 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 4 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 5 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 6 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 7 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 8 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 9 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 10 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 11 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 12 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 13 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 14 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 15 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 16 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 17 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 18 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 19 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 20 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 21 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 22 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 23 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 24 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 25 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 26 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 27 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. No. 28 spring wheat, 65 1/2 cts. 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ENGLAND'S

For Vessels in the Eastern Waters
Daily Outnumber Those Flying the French Flag.

As a Result of the Proposed Blockade, British Interests in Siam Would Suffer Severely—Lord Dufferin Has An Audience With M. Develle in Paris.

LONDON, July 27.—England has an adequate fleet on the East India and China stations, numbering twenty-eight vessels, including the Imperieuse cruiser of 7,300 tons. France can only muster nineteen vessels, of which the largest is only 4,700 tons.

It is believed that M. Develle hopes that his pacific blockade will induce Siam to surrender at discretion. Should Siam still resist and the blockade be made effective, British interests would suffer severely.

The London merchants interested in the Siam trade have forwarded a joint letter to Lord Rosebery, pointing to the injury which will be inflicted by the blockade upon Singapore and Hong Kong. These colonies would become dependent on Saigon for supplies of rice, and thus France will have an interest in benefiting French Cochinchina, by prolonging the blockade, which probably would produce a famine, perhaps a native revolt, at Singapore.

Admiral Humberstone is to occupy the island of Kohsiang-han, in the Gulf of Siam, an important strategic position. He must wait for supplies of coal and ammunition before he can take hostile action.

A Paris dispatch to the Times says: "Lord Dufferin had an audience with M. Develle Wednesday morning. A cabinet council was held at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, but the greatest secrecy was maintained as to what took place at the meeting. Another cabinet council will be held on Saturday next."

BRENOUVE, July 27.—The French cruiser Eclairer has been ordered to Brest to be fitted out with new armament. She will proceed thence and join Rear Admiral Humberstone's flotilla.

A MIDNIGHT DUEL.

Two Parisian Girls, Who Quarreled About Their Work Decided to Settle It That Manner.

PARIS, July 27.—A duel was fought in the streets Wednesday night by two girls, both of whom are now lying in the hospital severely wounded. They are about sixteen years of age, and are employed in a card board box factory. They quarreled over their work on Tuesday and decided to settle their differences by a duel the next time and place in the Rue St. Martin at midnight. At the appointed hour both girls arrived on the scene armed with their daggers. The struggle was a desperate one, and the girl playing her knife into the other's shoulder and receiving a wound in the face, the knife passing through her eye and penetrating her eye.

DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD

To the Idle Men of Denver, Colo.—Fifteen Scores.

DENVER, July 27.—The scenes around the Haymarket mission on Wednesday, when food was distributed to idle men, was pitiful in the extreme. Well-dressed men of good appearance, absolutely penniless, and in the immense hall, beside bums and impostors, while many charitable persons assisted them. Women are walking the streets asking for something to do to get food for their children. The local passenger association Wednesday night agreed to a five dollar "charity" rate to Missouri river points, and ten dollars to Chicago and St. Louis. Hundreds of poor men who have never known what it was to be idle, are tramping out of the mountains and toward the east.

THE BLOCKADE

Of the Siamese Coast by the French Fleet to Begin Saturday or Sunday.

PARIS, July 27.—An interview of importance took place Wednesday between the Chinese chargé d'affaires and the chief officials of the foreign office. It is known that China opposes the claims of France in Siam, and that was the subject discussed. The result of the interview has not been made known. It is stated that an effective blockade of the Siamese coast by the French will only begin on Saturday or Sunday next. Until then the powers will not have received notice of France's intention to establish a blockade.

The Kansas Miner's Strike

Leveeling's private secretary, Fred Close, returned from Weir City Wednesday. He reports every thing quiet. Acting on the order of the governor, issued Wednesday, mobilizing the militia has been revoked and Thursday all troops will be sent home. The backbone of the strike, according to Gov. Leveeling, has been broken.

Lord Roberts Summoned to London.

LONDON, July 27.—Lord Rosebery has summoned Lord Roberts, recently commander-in-chief in India, to the foreign office to consult him on the position of affairs in Siam. A private telegram from Bangkok announces that the British garrison Pigma has replaced the Swift before Bangkok for the protection of British residents.

Accident to Death.

PORTLAND, Ind., July 27.—Jacob Starr, a farmer living near Blaine, is slowly succumbing himself to death. He has been suffering from pneumonia for some time, and two weeks ago began to hicough. It has kept up ever since, and will no doubt cause his death.

Carpenter Mills Shut Down.

YONKERS, N. Y., July 27.—Wednesday night the large carpet mills of Alexander Smith & Son's, which have been closed down for the first time in twenty years. The cause given is the scarcity of money and the many failures of banks in the west.

MOB IN DENVER.

An Italian Taken From Jail, Hanged and Shot to Pieces—He Killed a Grand Army Man.

DENVER, July 27.—The wildest excitement prevails here over the lynching of the Italian who killed a grand army man in a saloon fight here Tuesday night.

Shortly before midnight Wednesday night a number of grand army men were seen, gathering in the vicinity of the jail. The authorities received an intimation of a probable raid on the jail and guards were doubled in preparation for an emergency.

The score of determined men in front of the county jail quickly swelled to one hundred, then to one thousand. "Lynch the dogs," they cried, and shouted some of the excited members of the crowd.

A full-headed man, wearing the typical grand army hat, forced his way to the front and shouted, "Come on, boys, follow me." And like men ready for battle, they followed their general to the walls of the prison.

One of the deputies appeared and begged the veterans to let the law take its course. He was quickly brushed aside and the mob soon made the best of its way to the cell of the Italian. The prisoner made an attempt to hide under the mattress of his cot, but the determined lynchers dragged him forth, and putting a rope around his neck, tied him to a telegraph pole. To the mob and threats were made to raise the door they fired a dozen shots into the body.

During an altercation between the mob and the guards at the prison, shots were exchanged and the deputies fired into the crowd, wounding a number of persons. This greatly infuriated the mob and threats were made to raise the jail to the ground, release all of the prisoners and string all the guards to telegraph poles. Thousands of people are gathering in the vicinity of the jail and it appears as though a reign of terror is about to be inaugurated.

In justice to the old soldiers it should be stated that the mob was undoubtedly organized and the riot fomented, not by the veterans, but by the lawless, reckless element, thrown out of jail by the closing of the mines and the shutting down of the smelters.

These men are ready for a riot, they are anxious to make trouble and the end is not yet. But little is required at the present time to fire the populace in Denver, and in the words of Gov. Waite, "Blood will flow to the horses' knees."

FORGED SECURITIES.

Several Chicago Banks Swindled Out of \$300,000 or More.

CHICAGO, July 27.—One of the most gigantic swindles perpetrated in Chicago in a number of years came to light Wednesday and it is now known that several of Chicago's banks have been mulcted of \$300,000 or more by means of forged securities.

The matter first became known outside of banking circles when Daniel H. Tolman, president of the Chicago Trust and Savings bank, at 124 Washington street, rushed into detective headquarters and informed Sergeant Hendrick of the affair.

The first man, it is alleged, has been caught in the trap to the tune of \$15,000. A thirty-first street bank loses \$5,000, and another and more prominent banking institution, the name of which it is impossible to learn at this time, has been taken in to the tune of \$5,000. A German about forty years of age, who had every appearance of being a wealthy gentleman. He was exceedingly smooth and oily in his talk and manner and was readily able to float large quantities of forged securities. The securities had every appearance of being good and the names forged to them were those of prominent and wealthy men. The rates of interest offered by the stranger were so enticing as to captivate the old man. These negotiations have been going on for several weeks, but it was not until Wednesday morning that it was known that the alleged securities were worthless and then consternation reigned. So far the present whereabouts of the German has not been ascertained, but a half dozen detectives are on the look-out for him.

SIAM DESIRES PEACE

And a Speedy Retiree of the Trouble With France.

BANGKOK, July 27.—M. Pavie, the French minister resident, prior to his departure had a final interview with Deravong, the Siamese foreign minister, who said that his government was astonished that France considered their reply to the French ultimatum as a refusal to comply with its terms. It was impossible, he said, to accept definitely an indefinite proposal. France has never defined her rights in Annam and Cambodia, but the king earnestly desires peace and a speedy settlement of the whole case, had declared his readiness to abandon to Annam and Cambodia all the points that had been attacked, as well as the territory near them, including Strung-krong and Khong, although these places were admitted to be Siamese.

Cleveland's Cousin Discovered.

SIDNEY FALLS, S. D., July 27.—A decree of divorce was filed here in favor of Irving Cleveland Irish, of Brooklyn, who is forever separated from Emma Irish. The plaintiff is a cousin of President Cleveland. There is nothing sensational in the case. The testimony is rather unique charges against Mrs. Irish, but its exact tenor is recast, as have been the names of the parties, until the divorce was granted by Judge Akens.

Class Speeches in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—The steamer Australia arrived from Honolulu Wednesday morning. Captain Sprinkles was among the passengers. Sprinkles was given quite a send-off on his departure from Honolulu. A large crowd gathered on the wharf and the usual band played in his honor. A number of distinguished royals attended him on board the steamer and presented him with a cane.

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MISSING MEN.

Some of the Causes of Mysterious Disappearances.

It is an Easy Matter to Drop Out of the Knowledge of One's Fellow-Men—An Instance in Which One Was Accidentally Obtained.

It is not an unusual thing to take up one's daily paper and read that some man has gone quietly out of his house to the barber shop or newsstand or some other convenient place and has never since been heard from.

It must indeed be an excellent reason that drives a man of average sound mind away from home and business and causes him to expatriate himself voluntarily. Either he or his have done something for which there is a necessity for concealment or absence, or his mind has become disordered.

In many cases there are double lives, illegal relations or irregular practices that threaten the peace or safety of the individual and lead him to take himself away for the sake of his family and to avoid scandal. Financial irregularities are doubtless accountable for many of these things, but it is safe to assert that unlawful domestic relations are quite as often responsible as monetary conditions. Sometimes there are circumstances that appear to be slowly leading up to exposures, and these so work on the mind that he is glad to drop out of sight even at the risk of unhappiness to himself and his family and untold gossip and suspicion in the community where he has lived.

When one comes to think of it, writes N. S. Stowell, in New York Ledger, it is an exceedingly easy thing to drop out of the knowledge of one's fellow-men.

Some years ago a man was summoned to Europe on business of the utmost importance. Being greatly troubled by the nature of his errand he found it impossible to rest during the first night of his journey. He strolled and forth shortly after midnight, he found himself weary and, leaning against some projecting portion of the deck of the ship, he fell asleep. The sea was slightly rough and he had braced himself to mind as little as possible the roll of the vessel. Standing in the deck he heard a splash in the water and saw a man cautiously saunter down the length of the deck and lean against the railing. Shortly afterward he fancied he heard a splash in the water and, turning his head, the man was nowhere to be seen.

For some unexplained and unreasonable reason the impression grew upon the traveler's mind that that man had jumped overboard, but not being of a sensational disposition he reasoned with himself that it was highly improbable and that he must be standing somewhere on that portion of the deck. After a time he arose and drove all other considerations from his mind, and, filled with this strange uneasiness, he passed over to the point where he had last seen the man and carefully examined every portion of that locality, but there was not so much as a trace of a human being to be found. He went back to his first position, took his bearings and started again to look the place over, but without avail. Only the time he had and fully satisfied himself that there was no one about at least fifteen or twenty minutes must have elapsed, and as the vessel was bound for a distant port, he passed a long distance from the point where it was that he last saw the man who had dropped out of his range of observation.

Reasoning with himself, he saw clearly that if the man had gone overboard it could be nothing more or less than premeditated suicide. That being the case, such a rescue was practically out of the question. If he gave an alarm and no one was missing, he would be looked upon as a crank. If it proved that a passenger was missing, there might be delays and testimony and no end of confusion, and if it was found that the man had been thrown overboard, it would seriously disarrange his plans.

He finally resolved to say nothing unless inquiry was made of him. At his point he would answer whatever questions he was able. Day after day he waited, but no excitement was aroused on board, no report of an empty berth or unclaimed luggage reached his ears, and the vessel went out port without even the rumor of a man having been lost overboard. After two weeks the gentleman returned to America, and among the first items he read was the disappearance of a business man, whose affairs, social and financial, were suspected of great irregularities. In size and figure the description tallied precisely with the mysterious individual who had been seen leaning against the ship's rail.

Of course, there was nothing to establish the identity of the two except the fact that the man had been seen within twenty-four hours of the date of the steamer's sailing. But for the anxiety of mind to which the man was a victim, and which led him to his midnight promenade on deck, there might never have been even the faintest clue to the fate of the missing man.

Early Impressions Are Lasting.

Every one must have found how difficult it is to eradicate early impressions. To overcome them requires acquired later in life. Our first impressions cling to us with a tenacity which no change of place or situation can destroy. The friends of our childhood, the friends and associations of our youthful days, form images in our remembrance which can never be wholly obliterated. The wanderer from his native country may in his adopted home meet new associations and acquire new standing in society than as he held in the land which gave him birth, still the humble dwelling in which he was reared, the partners of his early joys and sorrows, the habits he was accustomed to in youth, are all "green spots" in his reminiscence, continually watered from the fount of never-fading memory.

September and December. James R. Farrow,
Constable.